Resolution: 138-5.16

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH BRUNSWICK AUTHORIZING CHANGE ORDER NO. 1 WITH GK FOTINOS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO AN EXISTING BUILDING LOCATED IN VETERANS PARK UNDER THE

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION, AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Township is currently redeveloping Veterans Park; and

WHEREAS, in addition to improvements under the current contract, a recommendation was made to the governing body to make improvements to an existing building which currently houses storage and restroom facilities; and

WHEREAS, improvements enlarging the structure will include: renovations to the restrooms, an additional area to house concession facilities, staff room/office, a staff restroom, and a mechanical/electrical/storage area; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body previously authorized an agreement with engineering firm T&M Associates to provide Design and Bid Phase through Construction Administration services for improvements to the Concession Building at Veterans Park; and

WHEREAS, T&M Associates met with various Township officials and prepared the necessary documents to receive bids for said project under contract BID16003; and

WHEREAS, on February 1, 2016 the Township Council approved Resolution 71-2.16 authorizing advertisement for receipt of bids for the Concession Building Improvements as part of the Veterans Park Project; and

WHEREAS, on February 26, 2016 seven bids were submitted, and pursuant to Resolution 90-3.16, the Township Council authorized a contract in March 2016 with GK Fotinos (933 Route 9 North, South Amboy, NJ 08879) with a base bid of \$483,000.00; and

WHEREAS, in April 2016 during construction, an interior masonry wall was deemed to be structurally unstable and in need of replacement; and

WHEREAS, T&M Associates requested a proposal from GK Fotinos for demolition of the existing masonry and construction of a new block wall; and

WHEREAS, T&M Associates has prepared and recommends approval of Change Order No. 1, attached hereto, that reflects reductions and increases in contract quantities and supplementary items required to satisfactorily complete work on the unstable wall, resulting in a net increase in the contract amount by \$9,634.76 for a revised contract of \$492,634.76.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED on this 2nd day of May, 2016 that the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick does hereby authorize the Mayor to execute and the Township Clerk to witness an amendment to the current agreement with GK Fotinos under Contract BID16003 (Change Order No. 1) resulting in a net increase in the contract amount by \$9,634.76 for a revised contract of \$492,634.76.

CERTIFICATION

I, Kala Sriranganathan, Chief Financial Officer of the Township of North Brunswick, certify that funds in the amount of \$9,634.76 have been made available from the FY2016 Capital Account C-04-55-C16-151-401 under Contract BID16003.

Kala Sriranganathan Chief Financial Officer

Lou Ann Benson

Director of Parks, Recreation

& Community Services